

# **Murfreesboro Police Department**

## **Media Release**

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### **MPD Officer remains on Administrative Leave, Decommissioned**

After receiving information regarding the alleged official misconduct of a Murfreesboro Police Officer, the MPD requested that District Attorney General William C. Whitesell authorize an external investigation into the allegations.

The Tennessee Bureau of Investigation conducted an investigation and presented the case to the Rutherford County Grand Jury, who returned sealed indictments on Bryant Smith. The indictments are: Official Misconduct, (1 count); and Misuse of Official Information, (1 count). He was booked at the Rutherford County Sheriff's Office without incident.

Smith remains on decommission status and is currently on Administrative Leave with pay.

Questions regarding the details of the investigation or charges should be directed to the TBI.

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